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Council Minutes of M. D. Kinsella No. 424

MEETING HELD ON MONDAY,
MAY 16th AT KINSSELLA
Full Council present.

Coun. Bowden that minutes be passed as read. Cd.

Estimate of expenditure and receipts being presented and read. Cd. Pendleton that the Municipal Mill rate for 1932 be 8 mills. Cd.

By-Law No. 30 concerning certain cancellation of penalties and discounts having been read.

Coun. Pendleton that the first reading be passed.

Coun. Bowden that the second reading be passed.

Coun. Lison that the third reading be passed. Cd.

Coun. Lison that the application of Mr. W. Lindquist to operate a restaurant and hotel be approved. Cd.

Coun. Murray that the Municipal tax, S. R. Tax and Hospital Tax be passed. Cd.

Coun. Carter that a weed inspector for each division be appointed, the remuneration be \$4.00 per diem, no mileage allowed, and the time limit for each division be 10 days. Cd.

By-Law No. 31 concerning the destruction of weeds on road allowances.

By-Law No. 31, placing the responsibility of the destruction of weeds on road allowances upon the Municipality having been read.

Coun. Pendleton that the first reading be passed.

Coun. Carter that the second reading be passed.

Coun. Bowden that the third reading be passed. Cd.

Coun. Pendleton that Messrs. Nash and Nash be appointed auditors for the year 1932, at a salary of \$175.00. Carried.

Coun. Carter that W. Boyd of Jarow and Thar and Ansell of Kinsella be hereby authorized to sell strychnine and gopher poison. Cd.

Coun. Pendleton that Secretary write the C. P. R. concerning monies due for road diversions, asking the C. P. R. to accept payment for one half of the money owing and deduct same from the current Municipal tax. Carried.

Coun. Murray that the matter of erecting stock scales at Kinsella be tabled. Cd.

Coun. Pendleton that the recommendation of the Board of Railway Commissioners re altering the Railway crossing at Kinsella be approved. Carried.

Coun. Lison the following bills be passed for payment:

R. H. Cautley \$25.00

J. Bowden 5.00

P. Pendleton 20.00

W. Com. Board 53.00

J. Hajek 30.00

A. Sneath 40.25

R. S. Lison 8.40

K. C. Carter 5.60

W. L. Ferries 1.50

J. Marshall 23.85

R. Road Mach. Co. 6.00

A. G. Telephones 17.00

A. General 287.13

Imperial Lumber Co. 3.80

C. N. Rlys 1.00

Coun. Pendleton that meet adjourn till Monday, June 6th.

BLAKE H. GREEN, Sec.-Treas.
M. D. of Kinsella No. 424

NOTICE

In the minutes of the Council meeting of Municipal District of Battle River No. 423, held on Thursday, May 12th, and published in last week's issue of the Irma Times, the following motion was inadvertently omitted:

"Moved by Mr. Blakley that this Council close the road through the W. Half of Section 3-45-8-W4th as shown on Plan No. 3586 and forward a copy of this Resolution of Cancellation to the Dept. of Public Works for completion." Carried.

IRMA TALKIES

Marie Dressler and Polly Moran in

"REDUCING"

A Good Comedy

TUESDAY, MAY 31st, 1932

ADMISSION — Adults 30c, tax included.

Avondale District

Mrs. C. H. Allen and daughters, Fay, Ellen and Elsie are visiting at J. U. Allen's.

The Avondale ladies held their regular meeting at the home of the president Mrs. Taylor with a good attendance of members and visitors present.

Roll call was answered by giving a spring recipe. Mrs. J. Thomson read the monthly bulletin on Home Economics. Mr. Geeson gave an impromptu speech, Mrs. Allen a paper on "E. Pauline Johnson's life as a Canadian Writer. Geo. Taylor gave a very interesting talk on University life.

Mrs. Geeson and Miss McDonald rendered beautiful piano solos and last but not least was "Beautiful Land of Somewhere" sang by Master Allan Taylor, whose voice shows great possibilities for a youngster only waiting for development and training. The members were requested to come dressed to represent a song or a book. Most of them came as requested. A guessing contest as to what each represented was won by Mrs. Geeson while Mrs. Allen won the prize for the best representation, being Eaton's Mail Order Catalogue.

Singing of "O Canada" and a most delicious lunch brought a most pleasant meeting to a close. A little present was voted to Mrs. Prothero, violinist, who has always given so freely of her talent to the U. F. W. A. Votes of thanks to all artists taking part in the program and to the hostesses were given before dispersing for home.

June meeting of Avondale U.F.W. A. will be held at the home of Mrs. Golding in Plaxton District.

Mr. Cooper arrived on Friday to spend a week with his family having been at the University hospital for treatment for injuries in the late war. He will return the beginning of next week and is being sent to Calgary to consult officers of the Imperial Board. Mr. Cooper has two fingers and part of the right hand amputated and although it gives a great deal of trouble with pain.

Fabyan

H. E. MacDonald of Wainwright has opened an automobile service station in the building formerly occupied by the Atlas Lumber Co. of Fabyan. Mr. MacDonald will carry a full line of automobile accessories as well as handle the British American Oil Co's agency.

Seeding is finished in the Fabyan district with the exception of some late oats and greenfeed.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Derbshire and daughter motored down and spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. H. E. MacDonald of Mac's Service Station, Fabyan.

The blacksmith laddies keep making a very big noise so the depression must be nearing to an end.

Mr. Nordsturne of the Cereal Elevator is giving his office and dwelling house a real clean up, papering and painting.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Sr. and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Sonoff motored down last Sunday to attend the christening of the young daughter of John Zerk and a very enjoyable time was spent.

Mr. E. N. Mayor took the train for the City Sunday where he has business to attend, but expects to be back in our midst in a few days, again.

Mr. and Mrs. Bibby Sr. and Junior spent the 24th of May at Mac's.

Mr. Bert William of N. Baw't Elevator was a tripper to the city where Mrs. Williams is under doctor's care. We understand she is getting along nicely.

There is quite a number of tractors running through the country as we see Mac sending out several barrels of kerosene and gas.

Mr. Crawford of Pool Elevator moved and fixed up his residence.

We understand that Fabyan is to have a refinery in the near future.

We saw today Mr. Wattle of Swt Canadian Co., and party going west. They stopped and partook of all the chicken they could devour at Mac's.

The Alberta Pacing Elevator at Jarow is NOT closing down on June 1st, as stated in the Jarow news last week and will be open for business until further notice. — Milton Orr, Agent.

Kinsella District

Mr. Bishop who has been spending the past two weeks with his daughter Mrs. J. Neale returned to his home at Vermilion on Sunday. Mrs. Neale and her daughter Ellen and son John returned home with him to spend a week. Mrs. Neale's mother and brother spent Sunday here with Mr. and Mrs. Neale.

Mrs. W. L. Ferries spent Sunday in Edmonton at the Royal Alexandra hospital with her husband, who underwent an operation there on May 16th.

We are glad to report that Mr. Ferries is doing as well as can be expected and his many friends hope to see him home soon again.

Miss Violet Davis of Bruce spent last week with her brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Davis.

Mrs. B. Wachter and Miss Cora Murray spent last Wednesday in Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Williams and family were at Hardisty Sunday afternoon.

Miss Edith Corbett and friend Mr. Earle Lindskog of Wetaskiwin spent Sunday with the former's parent's here.

Mrs. J. Evansch of Bruce spent Sunday with her husband here.

Mr. Frank Williams and his mother, Mrs. M. Williams and Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Eaton motored to Minburn Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Wanganess spent last week in Edmonton where they attended the Musical Festival.

Conditions in Saskatchewan

The Saskatchewan Relief Commission has distributed 3,373,621 bushels of grain to approximately 50,000 farmers. Wheat seed distributed reached a total of 4,556,755 bushels. The feed shortage which threatened has apparently been met, largely by oats purchased in Alberta. Further distribution of seed and feed grains ended last Sunday.

On Friday, May 13th, Southern

another terrible dust storm, but rain falling Saturday night and Sunday following checked soil drifting. In the northern part of Saskatchewan too much rain delayed seeding.

Women's Institute

The Women's Institute will meet on Thursday, June 2nd at 2.45 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Fischer.

Roll call will be answered by "What we have learned from hard times."

A Garden Party has been planned for July 20th, further announcement will be made later. Two interesting papers will be given at this meeting on Agriculture and Child Welfare.

We are also planning on celebrating our annual Grandmothers Day the first Thursday in July. Every Grandmother in the district will be heartily welcomed at the home of Mrs. Howard Peterson at Irma.

With the co-operation of the Council we have been granted the privilege of once more trying to make the local cemetery more beautiful and the day for the annual clean up is set for JUNE 8th. A free lunch will be provided at noon by the members. All those who wish to help will be most welcome. We have had several letters from relatives who have been called away from the district thanking us for the care of those who have gone before. We are always glad to think that the little we do is appreciated.

IRMA BRANCH

CANADIAN LEGION B.E.S.L.

An executive meeting of the above branch is called for June 6th at 8 p.m. at Com. Coles office.

The Woman's Auxiliary, Canadian Legion, B.E.S.L. will hold their regular meeting at the home of Mrs. J. P. Yeend, June 6th at 8 p.m.

JUST A MINUTE

I have only just a minute. Only sixty seconds in it. Forced upon me — can't refuse it. Didn't seek it, didn't choose it. But it's up to me to use it. I must suffer if I lose it. Give account if I abuse it. Just a tiny little minute — But Eternity is in it.

FOR SALE — One Berkshire Bear, one year old or will trade for good calf or colt. — N. L. Fuder, Phone No. 408, Irma.

CHURCH NOTICES AND ACTIVITIES

UNITED CHURCH NOTES

The services next Sunday will be at Albert, Alma Mater and Irma at the usual hours. Mr. James Fenion will conduct the services at Albert and Alma Mater, and in town there will be a special service conducted by the Y. P. S.

CHURCH NOTICES

AND ACTIVITIES

In the absence of Mr. Geeson, the service in the United Church, on Sunday, May 29th, will be taken by the Irma Young Peoples Society. Several of the members will give short talks, and other offices will be filled by the young folks. Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

Don't forget the young peoples service in the United Church on Sunday May 29th.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the Estate of GROVER FRANKLIN ARNOLD late of the Post Office of Irma, in the Province of Alberta, Farmer, Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having claims upon the estate of the above named Grover Franklin Arnold who died on the 15th day of January A.D. 1932, are required to file with Mrs. Margery Arnold, Irma, Alberta, by the 2nd day of July, A.D. 1932, a full statement duly verified of their claims and of any securities held by them, and that after that date the executrix will distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which notice has been so filed or which have been brought to her knowledge.

Dated this 16th day of May A.D. 1932.

For Mrs. Margery Arnold, Executrix, Irma, Alta.

The Domestic Animals Act (Mun.)

SALE AND REDEMPTION OF IMPOUNDED ANIMALS (Sec. 48)

Notice is hereby given under Section 48 of The Domestic Animals Act (Municipalities) that —

1 Black Colt Filly, white star on forehead, branded RT, 3 years old.

1 Black Colt Filly, star on forehead, some white on hind feet, 4 years old, no visible brand, about 1000 lbs.

1 Brown Colt, 2 year old filly, about 850 lbs., no visible brand; were impounded in the pound kept by R. Heald, located on the S.E. 32-45-7-W4th on Thursday, the 31st day of March, A. D. 1932, and that the said animal was sold on the 14th day of April, 1932, to Jules Bamelis of Wainwright, — and that said animals may be redeemed by the owner or on his behalf within a period of thirty days from the publication of this notice in The Alberta Gazette, upon payment of all fees and costs due to the municipality and the purchaser of said animals.

Chas. Wilbraham, Sec.-Treas. M. D. of Battle River, Post Office, Irma.

ALBERTA BUTTER PRODUCTION

The province of Alberta produced 22,957,922 lbs. of butter in 1931, or more than 600,000 lbs. above the previous high record of yearly production for the province established in the year 1924.

C. N. R. TIME TABLE

No. 1 leaves Irma 6:27 A.M. and arrives in Edmonton at 10:10 A.M.

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Take advantage of the Low Week End rates, Saturday — morning till Monday evening, \$4.75 return to Edmonton.

— J. R. Whyte, Agent.

GET YOUR SHOES AND HARNESS REPAIRED BY STEVE HLYNKA

Irma, Alberta

WEEKLY REVIEW PROV. MARKETS

BEEF — Choice heavy steers \$4.50 @ \$4.75; choice light \$4.75 @ \$5.25; good \$4.50 @ \$4.75; medium \$4 @ \$4.25; and common \$2.50 @ \$3.50. Choices heifers went over the scales at \$4.50 @ \$4.75; good sorts \$4.25 @ \$4.50. Choice cows sold at \$3.25 @ \$3.50; good \$3 @ \$3.25; medium from \$2.50 @ \$2.75; common \$2 @ \$2.25; canners and cutters \$1 @ \$1.75.

FEEDERS, STOCKERS — The demand in this market during the past week has been quiet, with feeder steers selling at \$3 @ \$3.50; stock steers \$2.50 @ \$3.50; stock heifers \$2.50 @ \$3.50; stock cows \$2.25 @ \$2.75.

HOGS — Edmonton quotation on hogs \$2.00 @ \$3 for bacon, fed and watered basis. Selects making \$3.40 @ \$3.50, and the butchers \$2.40 @ \$2.50.

SHEEP — Yearlings made \$4 @ \$5 at Edmonton this week; ewes at \$3 @ \$4 and lambs \$5 @ \$6.50.

HAY — Movement from country points light, as demand not active. City market sales good with supply slightly under requirements. Prices steady: Upland, \$8 @ 9, and timothy \$10, on track at country points. Loose upland \$12, and baled \$10 @ \$11, delivered to city markets.

FEED OATS — Demand fairly active during past week, and supplies slightly under requirements. Price steady at 25c per bushel, delivered.

GREENFEED — Good demand, and quality maintaining high standard. Offerings being hauled from long distances now. Price unchanged at \$8 @ \$9 per ton, delivered.

Dates

DATES TO REMEMBER

Don't forget the C.G.I.T. entertainment in Kiefer's Hall on Saturday, May 28th.

Then there is the Ladies Aid Social at the Smallhills home on Strawberry Plains on June 1st.

MUNICIPAL HAIL INSURANCE

Application forms for Municipal Hail Insurance are now available and can be had from the Secretaries Office any purchaser of land can insure against hail and the premiums collected entered as taxes.

Chas. Wilbraham, Sec.-Treas. M. D. of Battle River, Irma, Alta.

SEARCH FOR DROUGHT RESISTANT WHEAT

An intensive search for drought resistant wheats is being made by the University of Alberta. This is the first attempt made in Canada to develop an intensive plant breeding program with drought resistance as its primary objective. And yet the losses from drought in the prairie provinces have been very great. Dr. O. S. Aamodt, of the University of Alberta, gave a report covering the University's plans for overcoming the drought damage in wheat. In 1928, the University received a number of Russian wheat varieties which were developed for growing in areas with limited precipitation. A breeding program is being carried on in order to combine high quality with the drought resistance of these varieties.

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Anglo-American Good Will On Firmer Footing Now Than Ever Before, Says U. S. Paper

There is reason for believing that Anglo-American good will has got its roots struck more firmly into the solid ground of mutual respect and dignity than in earlier periods—even those when the plant seemed to be flowering most effulgently. Too frequently in the past one has detected a slight waxiness, a touch of artificiality, about its most brilliant petals. Before the World War the work of our own horticulturists was often tinged with a sense of inferiority and with the envy and irritation that go with it; while that of the British was not wholly free from a certain condescension. Amid the dazzling prosperity of the post-war world those roles were, perhaps, reversed. British statesmanship continued to found itself upon Anglo-American understanding, but the British people could not quite forgive us for being such a spectacular success in our own way.

Both moods have collapsed amid the sterner realities of the depression. A common adversity has given each people a better appreciation of the real qualities and greatnesses of the other than either enjoyed five years, or twenty-five years ago. The two nations regard each other with less sentimentality than they have sometimes felt, but with much less of ignorant irritation. Publicists who once amused themselves by laboring transatlantic fables, who wasted their time in warning Americans against entanglement with pernicious Albion or Britons against engulfment in American mass production, are now dropping all that. Each nation now eagerly scans the opposite shore of the ocean, waiting to cheer every sign of progress in the other as possibly the first step toward recovery for both. Neither power, in short, is any longer overawed by or afraid of the other; there results an atmosphere in which friendship of the sturdy, unornamental but useful sort can grow and prosper.—New York Herald-Tribune.

Shows That Live Stock

Was the Saving Factor

Industry Weathered This Year Better Than Other Products Of Farm

The Review of the Live Stock Market and Meat Trade for 1931, just issued by the Markets Intelligence Service of the Dominion Department of Agriculture, states: "The commercial meat animals in industry weathered the year much better than any other major branch of farm industry. Indeed, saleable live stock, and with this, of course, we must include poultry, was to its possessor the saving factor in the year's business on the farm. At the opening of the new year, those producers who had included live stock in their 1931 programme, found themselves in a much more advantageous position than those who had not."

New Method Successful

Illustration All Ready To Print Sent By Radio

The North German Lloyd line announces the successful transmission by wireless from Zurich, Switzerland, to the S.S. Bremen, of a picture in the form of an engraving.

The receiving apparatus on the vessel transformed the picture into a cut ready for printing.

The process, known as radio-type, represents several decades of scientific research by Adalbert Guth, director of the Swiss Radio-type Company:

Judd: "I hear they are using all sorts of materials in the manufacture of illuminating gas nowadays."

Budd: "True; they even make light of consumers' complaints."

More than 1,000 new companies were registered in Sweden last year.



"Do you believe a man can love two women?"

"Yes, but only till one of them finds out."—Interessante Blatt, Vienna.

W. N. U. 1943

Great Booster For Canada

Prince Of Wales Advises British Business Men To "Step Right Over"

Canada has a great booster in the Prince of Wales. His is the type of Canadian citizenship which might well be emulated to the advantage of the Dominion. Recently the magazine "Canada," published in London, quoted His Royal Highness as follows: "Step right over and see Canada for yourself. Remember it takes only six days across the Atlantic and only a few more to reach the Rockies and the Pacific Coast. And if your business cannot spare you, remember there are such things as business holidays."

There is a double intent in the Prince's invitation to the business men of the Old Country to "step right over" and see Canada. In it he appeals to their inclination for pleasure, but at the same time does not neglect their business instincts. With a suggestion of slyness he tells them to make the one wait on the other, and yet get the advantage of both, and to a man of affairs the possibility is arresting.

There is, as well, a desire to promote a greater interest in the Dominion and its trade potentialities. Quite recently the Prime Minister has made a similar proposal. He would have all the visitors to the Conference in July take a trip through Canada from coast to coast. He believes that were they to do so they would obtain a greater impression of the trade possibilities the Dominion has to offer and of the aspirations of the people. It is a great idea, and it is to be hoped that if their time permits many of them will adopt the suggestion. They may be sure of a very hearty welcome.—Regina Daily Star.

Flight Of Wild Geese

Bird Tagged By Jack Miner At Kingsville Found In B.C.

An idea of the vast stretches of territory covered by wild geese in their migratory flights was revealed in the finding in East Kootenay, B.C., of the charred bones of a goose.

On the leg of the bird, which apparently had perished in a bush fire, was a tag bearing the name of Jack Miner, Ontario naturalist. The bird at one time had sought shelter on the great bird sanctuary at Kingsville, and was fed by Miner. The tag and information concerning the incident were sent to Miner by a settler in an isolated district near where the bird was found.

Birds tagged by the naturalist have been found as far east as the Atlantic coast and from the Gulf of Mexico to Baffin's Land, but this is the first time one ever has been known to cross the Rocky Mountains.

Poultry Development

Dominion Poultry Official Believes Prospects Are Still Encouraging

F. C. Elford, Dominion Poultry Husbandman, and outstanding leader in poultry development in Canada, on a recent occasion observed that few people realize what a big part the hen has played in the national life of Canada. "There are many prominent business men today who would not be where they are if it had not been for the hens on the farm at home," he states. "The poultry provided the money for shoes, and slates and pencils, and were in fact responsible for keeping them at school. I myself do not know of any other business today which pays better dividends than poultry raising, and I believe the prospects are still encouraging."

Adding Insult To Injury

Toogood's face wore a worried frown as he approached Butler. "I say, old man," he said, "I am sorry, indeed, that I called you a rhinoceros yesterday."

Butler was ready to forgive. "Quite all right, old boy," he said hurriedly; "you said it in the heat of the moment, as it were."

"Yes," returned Toogood, "I read in the paper today that a rhinoceros is worth £200."

Mistress: "Why don't you light the fire?"

Maid: "Because there's no coal."

Mistress: "Why didn't you let me know before?"

Maid: "Because we had some before."

Egypt plans to hold a government sweep to raise \$5,000,000 to build a new hospital in Cairo.

Dominant Optimism

Hon. Frank Carrel Is Struck With The Spirit Of The West

An impression of dominant optimism throughout western Canada has been brought back to the east by Hon. Frank Carrel, Quebec publisher. The west, he said, was looking as "fresh and fragrant" as ever. The people were just as optimistic of the future as they were when I passed over the same ground some eight years ago.

Mr. Carrel spoke of his efforts to pave the way for "our intra-empire trade crusade" by increasing trade in Canada. He said he and a group of associates planned to sponsor an "exchange goods" week, in which eastern and western Canada would co-operate, during the present year.

"There is little or no Russian Bolshevism among the Canadian-born and a large section of the foreign element remains free of it," he continued. "Some of the latter seem to be more interested in the future of Canada than most of us realize." Mr. Carrel mentioned finding Ukrainian Canadian clubs as an instance of this attitude.

The Canadian prairies, declared the Quebec publisher, were "a hive of industry" in comparison with the northern part of Montana and the western section of Dakota, which he had visited in the course of his journey.

New Radio Policy

Steps To Be Taken To Improve Broadcasting In Western Provinces

Under present plans western Canada in general and Winnipeg in particular will first feel the effect of the new radio broadcasting policy.

When the legislation now before parliament is enacted and the federal radio commission set up, the distinct understanding is that the commission will take steps immediately to improve broadcasting in the three prairie provinces, leaving the situation in the eastern provinces as it is today.

In the east there are a number of good stations, and the commission probably will not do more than lease them for purposes of national broadcasting.

But in the west, the commission will exercise its authority to take over existing stations or to construct new high powered stations, the objective being to provide good radio coverage in these provinces.

Absorb Insurance Rates

Steamship Companies Prepared To Deliver Goods To Churchill On Competitive Basis

Steamship companies are prepared to lay down goods at Churchill on a competitive basis with Montreal, absorbing the marine insurance rates and generally placing the west on an even basis, according to R. W. Paterson, president of the "On-to-the-Bay" Association, who made the statement as a result of correspondence with a Montreal firm of steamship agents and freight brokers.

Commenting on the importance of this to western Canada, Mr. Paterson said: "For all points west of Portage la Prairie, there is a very material saving in freight rates from Churchill as compared with those from Montreal, and provided you can start at the seaport on an equal basis."

A MAN AND HIS HAIR



—Passing Show, London, England.



432
SHE'S JUST SHOWING HOW ATTRACTIVE AND CHARMING A PRINTED COTTON DRESS CAN BE

And it will cost you next to nothing to make it! For the original, a China blue and white batiste print was used. The collar was plain white batiste, which also encircles the arms in a narrow cuff effect.

Plaits, as is the way with many of the smartest frocks of the season, provide an effective fullness to the skirt of this pretty model. Linen in tomato-red with white trim and white leather belt, has loads of chic and is sturdy too.

Style No. 432 is designed for sizes 8, 10, 12 and 14 years. Size 10 requires 2½ yards of 35-inch material with ½ yard of 35-inch contrasting. Price of pattern 25 cents in stamps or coin (coin is preferred). Wrap coin carefully.

How To Order Patterns

Address: Winnipeg Newspaper Union, 175 McDermott Ave., Winnipeg

Pattern No. Size

Name

Town

Four cables, each containing 26,474 parallel wires compressed into a diameter of 36 inches, are required to support the suspension bridge across the Hudson River. The wire in the four cables weighs 28,307 tons.

A French scientist contends if your tongue is long, it denotes frankness; if broad, expansiveness; if narrow, concentration, and if long and wide, a weakness for gossiping.

Future Development Of Western Canada Must Be Planned On a Scientific Basis

Working On Wheat

To Resist Drought

University Of Alberta Installing Equipment For This Purpose

Resistance to drought is a new wheat breeding project which has been undertaken by O. S. Amold, University of Alberta. Over a period of years, losses due to drought are probably as great as all the plant diseases combined. It has been estimated that during each of the last two years, the crop has been reduced by drought by 75 to 100 million bushels. Owing to the failure of crops to become established there is also an enormous loss in fertility due to soil drifting and the free growth of weeds. The National Research Council has given assistance in carrying out this project which will be under the direction of the associated committee in grain research. Except for some studies made at the University of Alberta on the fundamental nature of drought resistance in plants, little has been accomplished in Canada, but Russia has been intensively studying the problem for some time.

In this work artificial chinkos are created by a machine. This machine has been described by Dr. T. A. Tonor, of Russia, and similar equipment is being built at the University of Alberta. In this way everything including moisture, is controlled.

Business For Bay Road

Effort Is Being Made By Saskatchewan Government To Secure Shipments

An organization to solicit business for the Hudson Bay Railway, to be set up by the Federal Government, has been asked by the Saskatchewan Government.

Such an organization is also to interest shippers to route their business over the Bay road, according to Hon. E. C. Buckle, Minister of Agriculture, in a statement issued recently.

Negotiations, Mr. Buckle revealed, are pending at present for trial shipments of cattle and other farm products.

One firm of ship owners has already stated its willingness to charter a cattle ship for the purpose, and cattle owned by the government may in part be used for the test.

Mr. Buckle asked that interested organizations in Saskatchewan join in promotion with the Federal government.

Cheese Is a Body Builder

Supplies a Muscle Building Food In Concentrated Form

Here is an interesting item prepared by the Milk Utilization Service of the Dominion Dairy and Cold Storage Branch. "Is cheese eaten for its flavour, or for its food value?"

The low per capita consumption of cheese in Canada clearly indicates that the majority of people do not recognize it as a muscle-building food in concentrated form, but consider it merely as a condiment or garnish. It is interesting to note that one pound of cheese supplies almost as much protein and fat as one gallon of milk and, in addition, has a high calcium, phosphorus and vitamin content. The muscle building foods are limited in number, and, since it is necessary that the diet contain a percentage of this type of food, cheese should be more extensively used, particularly at a time when health and strength must be maintained on a lowered food budget.

"Admiral" Must Suffice

The new commander-in-chief of the West Indies squadron of the Royal Navy is Admiral the Hon. Reginald Aylmer Ranfurly Plunkett-Erle-Drax, C.B., D.S.O., etc. He started out with a good name and has been adding to its fame by his deeds; but it is to be feared that for reference purposes the public will have to call him just "the Admiral."

Only One Drawback

Sir Alan Cobham's flying circus, visiting the Enfield district of London, England, took aloft a woman aged 90 years, her daughter of 60, her grandson and great-grandson. The old lady's only regret was that her great-grand-grandson, a mere baby, was unable to make the trip, because he lived too far away from the aerodrome.

"It was my ambition that egged me on," said the would-be actor.

"Yes; but I understand it was the audience that egged you off."

Speaking before a service club at Winnipeg recently, T. C. Main, division engineer of water supply for the Canadian National Railway, and consulting engineer to the Saskatchewan Commission on Conservation and Afforestation, warned that future development of western Canada, must be planned on a scientific basis.

"Insofar things have been made to happen in haphazard manner. Settlers were allowed to homestead and cultivate land that was entirely unfit for cultivation. Sloughs and lakes were drained; timber and bush areas have been burned intentionally and accidentally, and land has been forced to grow cereal crops until practically all the fibre is gone," he stated.

Chief sources of drought were beyond the control of our present state of scientific development, but anyone who had studied the question of drought in southern Saskatchewan, southeasterly Alberta and southwestern Manitoba, would agree that human agency was to blame in a measure, he said.

Pointing to the seriousness of the water situation in the west, Mr. Main said it could be proven, the southern Saskatchewan and Alberta, and to a lesser degree of Manitoba, would be limited not by the amount of food that could be produced, but rather by the amount of water that could be conserved.

Conservation of water and timber be considered as the two important factors in solving our drought ills. Five factors he condemned—close cutting and over-pasture of prairie grass; reducing the forest area, chiefly by fire, 90 per cent of which were preventable; draining sloughs and lakes; growing too many cereals in succession; farming land unsuitable for cultivation.

Solutions for drought and soil drifting he gave as follows: planting at least one mile of suitable hedge on each quarter section; strip farming to minimize drifting until hedges are four or five feet high; production of wheat that consumes less water in growing; a forest policy that will make serious fires impossible; conservation of young tree growth and reforestation so that in 50 years there will be as much timber as at present.

stoppage of draining of sloughs, lakes and marshes; storing as much spring run-off water as is economically possible; setting aside of light lands as forest reserves and planting with suitable trees; developing mixed farming; encouraging municipalities to construct public water supplies and the farmers who need them to construct effective ditches.

Deportation Statistics

Total Deportations From Canada During Last Fiscal Year Were 7,024

Total deportations from Canada to other countries during the fiscal year 1931-32, were 7,024 according to the reply tabled in the House of Commons by Hon. W. A. Gordon, acting minister of immigration, to questions by J. S. Woodsworth (Labor, Winnipeg North Centre).

Of the total 4,248 were deported to countries in the British Empire. Persons becoming public charges comprised 4,507 of the deportees.

Of the other deportations, convicted of criminal offences totalled 980. Opium and Narcotic Drug Act 75, insanity 285, epileptics 6, feeble-minded 12, otherwise mentally defective 27, medical cases 367, misrepresentation and stealth 230, previously deported 13, other causes 27, and accompanying 585.

Language War In Malta

Whether English or Italian should be the ruling language is a question which has started a war of tongues in Malta. "Ignorance of the English language is a fatal social drawback in Malta, but ignorance of Italian is unnoticed because one has no occasion to display one's ignorance," declared one newspaper. Champions of Italian say it is necessary to those wishing culture and refinement.



Radio Announcer: "Good evening, everybody—except my wife. We do not speak at present."—Sondagmisse-Strix, Stockholm.

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A merchant's space in this newspaper is his own Newspaper, through which he publishes the things concerning his store which, in his view, constitute his chief "store news."

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In this important regard the merchant has an advantage, in the publication of his newspaper, over the publisher of the paper which carries his news for him. For the publisher may print the news that has happened—no more—while the merchant CREATES and prepares the happenings which his newspaper advertising describes.

He may make these store-happenings a series of routine sales-events, or he may make them a series of surprises.

His advertising may be thus made merely serviceable to the readers of this newspaper, or it may be made deeply interesting, and a continued story of enterprise, of active, alert and responsible public service.

A good store is one of the most interesting of human institutions; and the advertising of a good store should be made to rank with the most interesting of reading matter.

And while the "happenings" in a good store are all ordained, so far as they relate to sales and special promotion of particular kinds of goods, there are other store-events which rather force themselves upon the merchant.

The unexpected may happen as to sales in some special line of seasonable goods—the merchant may be left with a larger surplus of stock than he can carry. Then he is forced to make "something happen." He arranges a special sale, makes unusual price concessions, and the event is NEWS to every patron or prospective patron of his store.

The alive-merchant realizes that he must see to it that his store is a store of events, where things happen—and to make the profitable advertising of such a store a reality is an easy task.

The people of the extensive district in which this paper circulates cannot be as effectively or as economically reached by any other medium or method for advertising as by the columns of this paper.

Irma Times

Up-to-date

IT'S great, and commendable to be up-to-date, even up-to-the-minute, in the things that we think, that we wear, that we do—mostly, but not always. There are exceptions to most statements such as this and there are a lot of exceptions to this one.

Science of course during the last decade or so has been making wonderful strides. Society has been the beneficiary. Society continues to profit by the research of the laboratory, and movements are constantly on foot to spread abroad to all the ends of the earth the benefits thus attained.

Medical men, sanitary engineers, manufacturers, technical and practical men of all kinds plan national and international gatherings for the purpose of pooling the results of their discoveries and giving to the world the best they have to offer.

The tiller of the "top six inches" is abreast of the rest. He, too, has planned a great world-wide conference upon the problems of field crop production—a sort of pooling of the beneficial results of research in the field of providing food and fodder for the world's millions—the World's Grain Exhibition and Conference to be held at Regina in 1937—the first great world-wide exhibition and conference ever held at any time in the interest exclusively of grain and seed. While being up-to-date along these lines—and many others—is surely commendable it is a bit doubtful at least if the stamp of similar commendation should be placed upon some others.

"We are adopting a more sensible attitude towards love," says a modern writer. "We have learned to stem sentiment, to treat romance with common sense, to be normal about emotion."

Just so, but has not ultra-modernism lost much of its hold upon something of infinitely greater value? Are not the kisses of too many girls too cheap—too shoddily cheap. Are not nuzzles and insincere love making taking up too much of the evening programme? Does not modern familiarity with the person beyond contempt? Are we not losing the delicate charm and courtliness of other days? Isn't the "it" element of human nature so constantly before us as to become common and commonplace in its original sense? Are we not, in sentiment and romance, paying too much attention to the things that are transitory and selfish? Is there not much solid opinion to say "yes" to these and a lot of other questions of the nature? If the ultra-modernist really understood sentiment, romance and emotion better and rid these of a great deal of the up-to-date-ness there would not be so many broken marriages and so many disastrous divorces—a dust heap and refuse dump that soils and stanches the whole fabric of modern society.

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BUCKWHEAT

Buckwheat, while an important farm crop, is frequently grown as an afterthought. Requiring only from ten to twelve weeks to mature, seeding may be done during an otherwise more or less idle season of the summer. It is one of the most successful poor land crops, prospering relatively well on poor and acid soils. It responds readily, however, to good treatment. Light, well drained soils are well suited to this crop. An excess of nitrogen may produce too much straw and cause lodging. It also seems practically immune to insect and plant disease pests.

Buckwheat does best where the climate is cool and moist. At blooming time it is very sensitive to high temperatures and to dry weather. Under such conditions many flowers then in bloom may be "blasted" and produce no grain. To avoid this as much as possible sowing is delayed until late in June or early July allowing the principal growth to take place in warm weather and the formation of seed when the temperature is likely to be a little lower.

As a farm crop buckwheat often proves relatively profitable. Buckwheat flour is used extensively for making griddle cakes. The grain makes excellent poultry feed. The straw is sometimes used as feed when well preserved. It should not be used as a bedding for hogs. Since the straw contains a large amount of mineral matter and risks quickly it makes a good manure. As a crop buckwheat appears able to utilize better than do the cereal crops the relatively insoluble mineral constituents of the soil. As a soil renovator, buckwheat when plowed under has a distinct value. It may also be used as a nurse crop with sweet clover, the latter adding feeding value to the straw. Mixing with other cereals such as barley may be useful, the buckwheat tending to keep the barley from lodging and the barley assisting at harvest time in allowing the straw to dry out more quickly. Producing many flowers well supplied with nectar over a period of a month at least, buckwheat is an excellent source of honey for bees.

Quick germination and rapid growth make buckwheat ideal as a weed destroyer. Two crops of buckwheat during the one year usually prove effective in eradicating even spruce and quack grass. The first crop should be seeded early in May, plowed before blossoming begins and worked for a ten day period and reseeded to buckwheat.

—W. C. McGregor, Central Experimental Farm, Ottawa.

DANGER IN WORN TIRES

It has been pretty definitely established that the rear right tire is the first to wear out, the rear left the next, the front right next and the front left last of all.

As a result, practice has become almost general to shift the worn out rear tires to the front wheels with the idea of evening up the wear.

This, however, is dangerous. When a worn tire blows out on a rear wheel, while the car is travelling at a high rate of speed, the driver still has enough control of the front wheels to guide the car safely out of a dangerous skid.

When, however, a front tire lets go, and the car is moving fast, there is almost nothing the driver can do. The steering thrown out of his control, the car is forced into a serious skid and there are great possibilities of injuries to all in the car.

Rather have a worn tire on a rear wheel, even though it will wear down so much faster, than risk it to the front. For greater safety, however, a tire that shows the first mark of a tread worn down to the fabric should be taken off and used only as a spare.

Even as a spare, it should be in use only long enough to get a good replacement.—Port Arthur News-Chronicler.

KANSAS CROP POOR

With wheat harvesting in Kansas but one month away we are informed by United States authorities that it will take perfect weather to produce 87 million bushels in that state where a 224 million bushel crop was harvested last year. Conditions in Nebraska and Colorado are worse than in Kansas and in Oklahoma almost as bad. Texas, which produced such a big crop last year (58 million bushels) will not raise more than 35 million bushels this year. The results of the publication of this serious situation was that wheat advanced a couple of cents on the exchange.

Wainwright

Mr. H. C. Mann, whom many will remember as a former bank manager at this point, has now been transferred from Red Deer to Portage la Prairie, Man.

Mr. Harvey Bevans, pioneer oil dealer, who was one of the first to commence work at the "Mystery Well" at Fabian, died last week in Drumheller hospital. His son, Harvey Junior, is still connected with work in this field.

The electric storm and hail on Sunday last was somewhat of a novelty for this district at this time of the year. The bountiful rainfall was welcome, however; especially following the sand storm of the previous week.

Quite a number of bridge parties have been held during the past week at which Mr. and Mrs. J. Cuthbertson have been guests on the occasion of their leaving town. Recently, too, John was presented with a past president's badge by the local branch of the B.E.S.L. as a mark of esteem.

Official information to the Board of Trade reveals the fact that work has again commenced on the grading and graveling of the Wainwright-Edmonton highway, and it is presumed that this will continue all seasons. The gravel is now some miles this side of Tofield, with the grading completed nearly to Holden.

Anticipations are that there will be an attendance of 5000 to 6000 at the district convention to be held at the Cornwallis Inn, Kenilworth, N.S. June 1 and 2. It is expected that Sir John Bennett of St. John's, Newfoundland, will address the convention.

Hon. Gordon S. Harrington, premier of Nova Scotia, accompanied by Mrs. Harrington, left Halifax recently for Montreal where they boarded S.S. Duchess of Bedford for a short holiday in the Old Country. During his absence, Hon. Percy C. Black will be acting premier of the province.

"It is not too much to say that any improvement in the revenues of the railroads will immediately make itself felt in all channels of trade and that the maintenance of railroad solvency will do more than any other domestic factor to restore strength to the nation's institutions," says an editorial in the *Charleston S. Post*.

The "career open to merit" in railway affairs is well illustrated in the case of Charles H. Ewing, a railroader for 40 consecutive years, recently promoted to president of the Reading Company. In 1883, at the age of 17, Ewing began his railroad career as a rodman in the employ of the Philadelphia & Reading Railway, now the Reading Company.

There were 447 moose and 9534 deer shot in New Brunswick last year, according to figures contained in the annual report of Chief Game Warden H. H. Ritchie to the provincial Minister of Lands and Forests. There was also a very successful partridge season with a bag of 44,669 birds.

Warmer weather and generally favorable conditions are to normal development of the western wheat crop, according to the report of the agricultural department of the Canadian Pacific Railway. Virtually all of Manitoba's seed is in and Saskatchewan and Alberta seed will be completed by the end of the third week of May.

Two famous globe-trotters, Dr. Roy Chapman Andrews, noted anthropologist, and Bob Davis, New York Sun's world-girdling correspondent, came together at Victoria recently on Canadian Pacific liner Empress of Canada, the former on his way to Peking and the latter travelling with Mrs. Davis to Honolulu.

Success attended the inaugural cruise of S.S. Princess Alice last year to northern British Columbia and Alaska has led the British Columbia Coast Steamship service to provide another special Alaska cruise with the S.S. Princess Charlotte, leaving August 9 from Vancouver. It is announced by E. F. L. Sturdee, general passenger agent, Canadian Pacific Railway.

Capital, Labor, the learned professions, diplomacy and business were all represented in the passenger list of the Canadian Pacific liner Empress of Australia on arrival at Quebec recently. The list included Sir Charles Gordon, president of the Bank of Montreal; Tom Moore, president of the Trades and Labor Congress of Canada; P. E. Meredith, K.C., Dr. Moser, consul-general for Czechoslovakia, and Colonel Hercules Barre, Canadian Government Trade Commissioner in Paris.

Residents of Maritime Provinces will have a fine opportunity of visiting Montreal's great Naval and Military Tournament, May 27-29, through a special low rate Canadian Pacific coach excursion leaving St. John's, Nfld., for Montreal, Woodstock, St. Stephen and St. Andrews May 27. Similar excursions over the same week-end are being operated by the railway from Vernon, and the Sudbury, Ontario, areas. (342)

Here and There

JOHN W. HOBBS, C.P.R. Toronto Resident Agent Has Disappeared Career

John William Hobbs, who has just been named director of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, is a typical Canadian and equally typical of business success, his new directorship being added to a series of executive connections with some of the most important business and financial concerns in the Dominion. He was born in London, Ont., on December 2, 1875, son of William Richard Hobbs and Annie Osborne, and graduated from the University of Toronto, with the degree of Bachelor of Arts, in 1898.



JOHN W. HOBBS.

In 1905, he married Katherine Babbitt. They have one daughter. Entering the service of the Hobbs Manufacturing Company, Limited, in London, Ont., in 1898, he became manager of the Consolidated Plate Glass Company, Limited, Toronto, in 1901, and managing director in 1907. He is now the organization's president.

Other interests include directorships in the Lake of the Woods Milling Company, Limited; the Imperial Bank of Canada; the Continental Life Insurance Company; the Scottish Union Insurance Company, of Edinburgh, Scotland, and the Securities Holding Corporation.

His social interests are many and varied. He is an ardent devotee of fishing, golf and tennis and a member of the York, National Hunt, and Ontario Jockey Club's Toronto. He also belongs to the Royal Canadian Yacht Club, the Caledonian Mountain Trout Club, and the Lamson Golf Club. His Montreal clubs include the Mount Royal, Forest and Stream and Mount Ararat Golf Club.

SHIELD CAPTURED BY MIRROR CHOIR

For the first time in the records of the Alberta musical festival, the Galbraith shield (for junior choirs) was awarded this week to a choir which was not in one of the three festival centres, Edmonton, Calgary or Lethbridge. The Mirror School Choir, under the direction of Mrs. R. Upton (40 voices), was awarded this shield on Tuesday afternoon, gaining 169 points.

"This is the first choir I have heard here," said Dr. Armstrong, "and I must say it is a good start." He praised the children's work highly, commenting on their tone production, and recommended the Sunday School choirs as a splendid training for the senior church choirs, later.

The dreams of many western farmers are about to come true for, in the near future, wheat in huge quantities will roll northward to Churchill, over the Canadian National and Hudson Bay Railway, and so out to world markets. For this first commercial shipment in the history of this new route, loading commenced a week ago at the Saskatchewan Pool Elevators Limited, at Prince Albert.

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Viking

A musical concert will be given by the Viking Symphony Orchestra on Sunday afternoon, May 29th commencing at 2 p.m. sharp, at the Viking Community Church.

This program will be absolutely free and everyone is invited to attend. The Viking Symphony Orchestra, led by Mr. B. Hilliker, is composed of local musicians who can boast of belonging to the first symphony orchestra ever attempted in Viking. This orchestra has proven a success to members and to the community as a whole.

As Mr. Hilliker, the leader, is leaving on a holiday shortly, this will be the last performance of the orchestra till next fall.

E. W. Johns farming about eight miles south of town, brought in some real live angle worms which he found while digging in his garden. These are supposed to be the first of their kind found in this district. If there was a lake nearby with some fish in it, we venture to say that Mr. John's garden would have a lot of visitors.

Uncorking an assortment of curves and fast ones Jack McAtthey pitched his playmates to a 7 to 1 victory over Holden who were visitors here for the opener on May 24th. The coolness of the evening didn't dampen the ardor of the fans who turned out in fair numbers to view the struggling athletes.

Holden's only run came in the first inning when Sandt romped over the rubber. From then on until the end of the seventh when umpire Slavik called the game on account of darkness, Holden was sent back to the bench in the seventh inning after a blank stare.

Both teams displayed flashes of good ball and had a lot of snap for so early in the season.

The visitors used two pitchers who were hit freely. Viking's runs came in the first inning when Darragh circled the bases. In the lucky old fifth, A. Horton, Darragh, J. McAtthey, and Doc Richardson went on a batting spree assisted by their teammates. Harold Hilliker added another for good measure in the sixth while the genial Doc came home with another in the seventh before the ump's waved everybody home.

It looks like we have a pretty fair team this year. Manager Kestor has quite a list of players to choose from, old-timers and new comers. Ball players may come and ball players may go, but Evy Jones goes on forever. With a quarter of a century of baseball behind him he still is a tower of strength on first base. Art Horton is another veteran of the diamond who adds to the strength of the team. Clem Loughlin viewed the game from the grandstand but we could see that he wanted to get his hands on that ball. With Jack McAtthey as first string pitcher, and Doc Richardson and Ormond Horton as relief twirlers, the team should get somewhere this year. As receivers we have Kortzman and Gallagher to rely on. Give us some games.

The night's entertainment by local talent under the auspices of the Viking United Church in the Elks Hall last Friday evening was well attended. "The Baby Show" was a scream and it was a revelation to see so many large and lusty infants, some who could talk a blue streak at the tender age of twelve months. Miss Gilbert as chairman of the judging committee, Miss Agnes Wick as the butcher, another member of the committee, and Wm. Dean as Ima Old-maid put the show over.

Mrs. Burgess gave one of her characteristic readings which was highly enjoyed.

The final to the entertainment was a one act comedy entitled "The Dear Departed" put on by six local players. The play dealt with relatives gathering to discuss the sudden demise of "Grandfather" who turned out to be very much alive. The climax came when grandfather announced he was to be married again which threw the relatives into confusion and ended the discussion.

Musical numbers were supplied by Misses Mary Hilliker and Bernice Long, and Messrs. T. Armstrong and Rev. Stove.

Miss Mrs. Bainbridge is attending the Annual Provincial Conference of the United Church in Edmonton. A Ministerial Delegate to the Conference will conduct services in this charge on Sunday.

Mrs. Barker and Miss Marjorie Barker attended the graduation of the Misericordia Hospital class Thursday in Convocation Hall, Edmonton, when Miss Alice Barker received her diploma.

Tuesday, May 24th, was observed as a holiday. Many of our citizens spent the day planting their gardens and improving their premises. Others took in the celebration at Loughheed.

T. O. Renner, of the National Supply Co., of Calgary was in town Tuesday in connection with shipping pipe from the Chauvin to the Viking gas field where drilling operations are now underway.

Bruce

Mrs. M. Hyslop of Viking delivered an inspiring address on the Aims and Work of the Women's Institutes, at a special meeting of the Bruce W. I. last Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Hyslop, who is an accomplished speaker and has women's activities at her finger tips, moved her hearers from tears to laughter, and commenting favorably on the efforts of the Bruce society, intimated that these were "stepping stones . . . to higher things."

At the conclusion of the address the meeting was thrown open to discussion and the lady speaker answered a variety of questions pertaining to the work of women's organizations.

Completing the program, Mrs. J. Holter and her sister Miss Jean Campbell favored the meeting with a vocal duet, Mrs. Barker rendered a piano solo, and Mrs. Holter, accompanied on the piano by her sister, sang, "Sylvia".

In conclusion, a social hour was spent, a picnic lunch provided with Mrs. Parfett in charge.

The first Bruce Movie Show in the Hall last Saturday evening was well attended by young people of all ages. A number of our boys and girls made a first acquaintance with Charlie Chaplin and Felix the Cat, and are now ardent movie fans. The Bruce Stampede Association is to be thanked for bringing a desirable form of entertainment into the town. Encouraged by the good reception given Saturday's show, Henry Owens announces an evening of life, love and laughter for Saturday, June 4th.

Mrs. Holter, and daughter Linda, and Miss Jean Campbell spent a couple of days in Edmonton last week, enjoying the shows, shopping and window shopping and came home broke.

On Thursday, June 2nd, at 2:30 sharp, the regular meeting of the W. I. will be held in the Club Room. All ladies of the community invited to attend. Hostesses for the tea hour are Mrs. Reay and Mrs. J. D. McArthur.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Billy Welby, on Wednesday, May 18th, a daughter, Mrs. Reay and daughter are staying with Mrs. Welby.

Mrs. A. Willans, accompanied by Miss Freda Bahlitz, motored to Edmonton for the week end.

Mrs. A. S. Stambaugh returned from Clyde, Thursday, where she was visiting at the home of her daughter. The members of the "Golden Rule" Society and their friends attracted a large number of spectators when they practiced soft ball last Thursday evening. Mosquitoes kept everybody moving and perhaps accounted for some of the home runs. The country ladies played the town ladies and won. Odds are on the town ladies for next Saturday's match for they are expected to bring out their heavy weights for the occasion.

Following the game next Saturday the ladies will serve tea in the club room. Everybody is invited to share in the tea party. Prices will be within reach of all.

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A study of accidents by the Safety First Council of the Canadian National Railway has disclosed that only 15 of injuries sustained by falls are due to faults in equipment, the balance being caused by negligence of workmen. In the course of its investigation the council also found that more married men hurt themselves by falls early in the day than single men. This curious fact is ascribed by the council to breakfast table differences.

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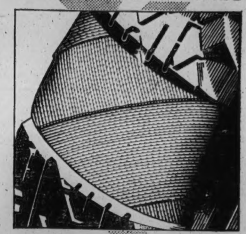
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Nobody ever entirely loses that childhood illusion of a land which surpasses in loveliness, surprises and happiness anything that the mind is capable of envisaging; the land of make-believe, which everyone hopes may someday become a reality. It is not too much to say that the glorious Rockies, Canada's great holiday territory, renowned throughout the world, are as close to this elusive dreamland as anything that mortal man is likely to discover. Special arrangements for the coming season now bring a week in this modern fairyland well within the reach of the average traveller, with Banff and Lake Louise, on the main line of the Canadian Pacific Railway, as base-points and a wide range of every varying scenery and cosy bungalow camps beyond. The "six-and-a-half days' tour" has already become a slogan among those planning their summer vacation, embracing, as it does, not only the two famous hotels at Banff and Lake Louise, but such well known points of interest and beauty as Johnston Canyon, Moraine Lake and the immortal Valley of the Ten Peaks; the Lakes in the Clouds; the Plain of the Six Glaciers; the Great Divide; Wapta Lake Bungalow

ITEMS OF LOCAL INTEREST

No matter how well organized a newspaper is, it is impossible for its reporters to gather all the local items of interest—someone of your acquaintance has taken a trip or returned from one; you have friends or relatives visiting you; a former citizen has returned on a visit—all of these small incidents, and many more, are of interest to our readers.

As we wish to make this paper a more live, local newspaper, we would greatly appreciate receiving local items from our readers. By informing us of local news, you are doing us an appreciated service, as well as a service to our readers.

FARM YOUNG PEOPLE'S WEEK

JUNE 2nd to 8th.

Between 150 and 200 farm boys and girls have been spending a week at the University in June every year since 1918. Many of these boys and girls who visited the University for the first time at a Farm Young People's Conference, have returned to take the regular degree courses later on. Others have established a contact with the University which has proven very valuable to them in their farming occupation.

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WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

Practically all the pool elevators in the Prince Albert division of the C.N.R. will contribute towards the 2-000,000 bushels of wheat to be gathered soon for shipment via Churchill.

Veterans of the Riel Rebellion resident on the coast have organized a fraternal society to be known as the Northwest Field Force of 1885 Veterans' Association.

Paying homage to the memory of his old comrades, Lord Byng, former commander of the Canadian Corps, deposited a wreath on the Altar of Remembrance in the Memorial Chamber at Ottawa.

Al Cheesman, pilot of Saint John, who served as pilot for Sir Hubert Wilkins' south pole flight three years ago, has been invited by Sir Hubert to take the controls again in a new expedition to the south pole.

Going into a side slip at an altitude of about 1,000 feet as the pilot was preparing to land, a mail plane of the United States crashed and burned at Burbank, California, causing death to its two passengers and pilot.

Lieut.-Gen. Lord Robert Baden-Powell, defender of Mafeking in the South African war, held a private luncheon in London, England, May 17, to celebrate the 32nd anniversary of the relief of that little town by Field Marshal Lord Plumer, then a colonel.

Believing one hour of personal contact was worth six months of letter writing and tons of printed matter, the Scottish Trade Mission had come to Canada to talk business, the Duke of Montrose, hon. president of the mission, told the Canadian Club at Montreal.

Canadian Banking System

U.S. Senator Praises System Here in Comparison With That Of United States

The happy position of Canada's banking system as compared with that of the United States was dramatically placed before the United States senate by Carter Glass, of Virginia, former secretary of the treasury.

Glass was pressing his revision of the banking laws in the United States.

Canada, he said, had not had one single bank failure "during this frightful depression" while in the United States 5,000 banks had gone under with losses during the past two years to depositors of \$5,500,000,000.

For years treasury and currency experts have been attempting to get congress to permit branch banking. Their efforts have been so far successfully opposed by representatives of smaller communities and farming areas who believe in individual and personal banking.

Necessary Information

A teacher gave the following problem to her pupils: If a woman gathered five eggs a day, how many eggs would she gather in a week? After studying a few minutes, William, with a pained look finally asked:

"Miss—do hens lay eggs on Sunday?"

Plan Trade Drive

Ontario To Place Sales Representatives In Winnipeg, Montreal and Maritime Provinces

As part of an intensive drive to secure a greater share of the Canadian market, the Ontario Department of Agriculture is placing sales representatives in Winnipeg, Montreal and Maritime Provinces. It was announced by Hon. T. L. Kennedy, Minister of Agriculture. The duties of these representatives, who will work through the agricultural council, will be to keep the department informed as to conditions in the various provinces, the volume of sales of Ontario agricultural products and the best means of increasing those sales.

Col. Kennedy declared that the government was launching a drive for more markets and that up till now much of the effort had been directed toward securing a better foothold in the British market. There was a big field for Ontario products in the other provinces of Canada, the minister believed. As to the British market, the Ontario Government already had a representative in London and at the present time W. B. Somerset, chairman of the agricultural board, was in the Old Country in the interests of Ontario trade.

Anti-Aircraft Gun

French Have Invented Gun That Will Hit Target Seven and One-Half Miles High

That a new anti-aircraft gun can bring down an attacking bomber seven and one-half miles up in the air, is the claim of those conducting tests on the Riviera coast, near La Seyne, France. The secret of the gun's construction is jealously guarded by the firm whose engineers planned it. Anti-aircraft guns have previously proved effective at a height of about three and one-half miles, but modern aircraft can attain much greater altitudes.

In the experiments off La Seyne an aeroplane, with pilot and mechanic, ascended seven and one-half miles towing, suspended 1,000 feet beneath it, a target on which the anti-aircraft gun opened fire with live shells. Aviation, military and navy men of Europe are watching the tests.

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A VIVACIOUS SHORT SLEEVED BLOUSE ALL DOTTED WITH SPOTS

Dots run their gay way all over Paris, their favourite expression being in blue and white of nautical influence.

It was this scheme that made this chic little waist-coat type blouse in washing silk. It's so simple—youthful and so attractive. The splashy artist's tie is of plain blue to match the spots. Aren't the sleeves darling? And note how it is fitted at the waistline. It's the easiest thing in the world to fashion it. And as for the cost, you'll be amazed at the enormous saving over the original.

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Scotland's Exhibition Ship

Enterprise Is Shown By Prominent Business Men From Glasgow

Scotland has again displayed her traditional enterprise by sending out to Canada the largest and most varied aggregation of Scottish products ever made on the Anchor-Donaldson liner "Letitia."

The steamer was used as an exhibition ship for over a hundred different products of Scotland, ranging from bagpipes to boilers. About eighty of Scotland's most prominent business men accompanied their exhibits and the Trade Mission was headed by His Grace The Duke of Montrose. The object of the exhibition was to foster closer trade relations between Canada and Scotland. The Corporation of Glasgow, which has fitted up the steamer, has a long and varied history to look back on.

Glasgow is the nearest British port to Canada, and the connection of the Clyde with Canada is of old date. John Galt, the novelist—a Greenock man, and a contemporary of Sir Walter Scott—was one of the makers of the Donaldson Line, now linked with the company to which the "Letitia" belongs.

The official history of Empire Trade begins with 1783. In that year was founded the first Chamber of Commerce in the British Isles—namely, the Glasgow Chamber of Commerce, which is closely identified with the "Letitia" Exhibition.

The founder of the Chamber was a pupil of Adam Smith, in Glasgow, Lord Provost Patrick Colquhoun, LL.D., who afterwards won European fame as an economic publicist, and who erected a monument in St. Margaret's, Westminster.

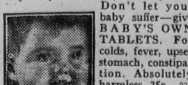
Glasgow as a Cathedral city dates from the time of her patron Saint, St. Mungo, in the 6th century. Her great university is close on 500 years old. Not long after the Reformation, Glasgow's population was nearly 15,000. It was reduced to under 11,000 by the Covenanting Wars, and by the Darien disaster at the end of the 17th century.

Scotland's object in the Darien Expedition, the story of which has been finely told by a Glasgow historian, D. C. P. Insh, was to establish a great trading emporium in Central America. Spain was hostile, and the English Government was unfavourable; Scotland lost hundreds of lives, and most of her spare capital. One of the fleets sailed from the Clyde, and Glasgow merchants lost heavily. The failure of the Darien Expedition, however, had much to do with the opening of trade between Scotland and the English Colonies and soon after the union with Virginia and other American Colonies, by 1760, they had secured a very large share of the European tobacco trade, and the population of the city had risen to 43,000.

Those Glasgow Virginia merchants were the "tobacco lords" who wore a distinctive and magnificent costume, including a scarlet gown. They owned many ships, and had large estates on the Clyde and on the Potomac. One family, still represented near Glasgow, were neighbors of George Washington on the banks of the River James, and called their Scottish estate Mount Vernon. An American War of Independence ruined the "tobacco lords and well-nigh

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ruined Glasgow. It was then, amid disaster, that Glasgow set herself to deepen the Clyde for ocean traffic, develop the industries that had been subsidiary to shipping ventures, work the coal and iron of Clydeside on a big scale, and extend her trade over the world.

Those energies were co-ordinated by the establishment of the Chamber of Commerce, which set up a Glasgow House in London and at Ostend, and began at once to exercise a powerful influence in Scottish and British trade. Glasgow never looked back after 1783. With the launching of the "Comet" in 1812, she began her great career as a ship-building and engineering centre.

Today, Glasgow has a population of well over a million. Her technical versatility is endless. Some 2,000 different kinds of enterprises are represented by her Chamber of Commerce and the commercial and industrial bodies affiliated with it. The Chamber of Commerce Battalion, raised at the outbreak of the War, had a splendid record. Recently the Chamber, with the Glasgow Corporation, organized the Glasgow and District Development Board, the largest of the regional boards affiliated with the Scottish National Development Council; and the Board is doing good work in encouraging the establishment of new industries throughout an important industrial area with a population of well over one and a half million.

Report Is Satisfactory

British Boys Working At Coast Are Making Good

Thirty-two of the fifty boys brought out from Britain in 1930 and placed on farms and in homes in British Columbia are making good in their new homes, according to information received at the Parliament Buildings, Victoria. Eight returned home, seven have disappeared and one has had trouble with law officers.

The scheme has been in force for some years in other parts of Canada and is under the auspices of the Imperial dominion and provincial governments or some responsible organization. The boys brought to British Columbia were taken in charge by Dr. W. H. Geddes, colonization commissioner of Vancouver, who has made periodical inspections of their homes, seeing that they are properly cared for and recording progress made by them. No boys were brought out in 1931 and none will arrive this year.

A complete fishery exhibition will be part of this year's agricultural show at Grimsby, England.

More than 200,000 goats and sheep are being raised on the Aegean Islands.

Modern Robinson Crusoes

Might Be Found If Lonely Islands Could Be Searched

Recently a man returned to his relatives after he had long been given up for dead. Years ago he sailed from his native land to the Pacific, and during an eventful voyage his ship took fire and was abandoned.

Like the plots of many stories, this man with one or two shipmates, managed to land on an uninhabited island and then existed in a manner true to every Robinson Crusoe style story.

There is a possibility that scores of travellers and sailors are living on small islands, praying for the day when some small ship, driven well off its course, will pass close enough for its crew to see the smoke signal. Quite a few family sorrows might be eased if all the lonely islands could be searched and their strange inhabitants brought back to civilization.

Evidence constantly crops up at various times to prove that it is not an uncommon fate. In such places as the Pacific, there are thousands of specks of land which are rarely visited. Any of these may be inhabited by one or two people, waiting, year after year for a rescue ship to appear on the horizon.

Apart from the small islands, there are thousands of places in the world where men could scramble ashore and, although on a mainland, be just as helpless as if on an island in the middle of the Indian Ocean.

There are many sections of coast from which nothing but a bird could escape—except by sea. A narrow stretch of sand between two mountains and backed by a cliff of tremendous height, means isolation more hopeless than that of a mid-ocean isle. There are many such spots on the west side of Vancouver Island, B.C.

A man who had been one of several wrecked near Cape Horn, might just as well have been marooned on the loneliest island in the world, for it was impossible to struggle to civilization from their bleak straits. Weeks and weeks passed before a sheer accident enabled him and his shipmates to be rescued.

Weekly Newspaper Convention

Dominion Gathering To Be Held This Year At Port Arthur

More than 275 editors and publishers of weekly newspapers throughout the Dominion will attend this year's convention of the Weekly Newspapers' Association, to be held at the Head of the Lakes, July 28 and 29, it is announced. Plans already are under way for the reception and entertainment of the convention delegates, whose sessions will be conducted at Port Arthur. S. J. Dorman, of the Despatch, Alameda, Sask., is president of the association, and E. Roy Sales, of the Mercury, Renfrew, Ont., is secretary and manager.

Might Be Good Idea

The Brantford Examiner is right in referring to them out near Nelson as "Doubtful Horrors." Instead of deporting these nuisances why not send them up to live with the Eskimos and let them practise their denuding stunts. Either mosquitoes or the Arctic cold would make it just too bad.

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Diet Announced As Cure

Celiac, a Childhood Disease, Requires Only Good Food As Treatment

A cure for celiac disease without a drop of medicine was reported to the American Medical Association at New Orleans. Diet alone does it. This disease is one of the pitiful ills of childhood, causing retarded growth, serious stomach disorders, growing weakness and, when too long neglected, almost certain death.

Predisposition to relapse had made it difficult to cope with. Dr. Sidney V. Haas of New York City, said there has not been one recurrence.

The new treatment is an example of the rapidly-developing science of finding in two or three commonplace articles of food a regulator that enables the body to convert the entire diet into its natural "medicine."

One cause of celiac disease is a peculiar form of sugar starvation. No matter how much sugar a child eats the system cannot assimilate it, and the sweet only makes them worse. Dr. Haas found the sugar in ripe bananas can be eaten freely and that in the children's bodies it converts ordinary sugars into an agreeable form.

Has Plenty Of Variety

Missionary Sent From West Indies To North Of Scotland

Life is just one extreme after another for the Rev. Frank Jarvis, Church of England missionary, one of the 122 passengers arriving at New York on the Munson liner "Munargo."

After four years of basking on Cat Island, in the West Indies, he goes to Thurso, in the extreme north of Scotland, where it is cold and misty the year round.

"But," he said laughing, "I'm glad of the change, because life does require some variety." He tried without much success to interest some of the negroes in Latin and Greek.

C.N.E. Radio Broadcasting

Radio broadcasting cost the Canadian National Railways \$441,082, in 1929, the House Committee on railways and shipping was advised, but only \$114,000 in 1930 spent in 1932. The gross figures for 1930 were \$420,603, and for 1931, \$326,248. There was a certain amount of revenue from rental of facilities, and tolls to the Canadian National Telegraph, in addition to the advertising benefits which could not be reckoned in dollars and cents.

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CHAPTER XXI.—Continued.

She did not tell him why. But within herself she knew that no woman would ever be afraid of Geoffrey Burke. Afraid of him, possibly, but never afraid that he would not be entire master of any situation where physical strength and courage were the paramount necessities.

She reflected a little grimly to herself that it was this very forcefulness which gave the man his unquestionable power of attraction. There is always a certain fascination in sheer, ruthless strength—a savour of magnificence about it, something tentatively heroic, which appeals irresistibly to that primitive instinct somewhere hidden in the temperamental make-up of even the most ultra-twentieth-century feminine product.

And Jean was quite aware that she herself was not altogether proof against the attraction of Burke's dynamic virility.

There was another kind of strength which appealed to her far more. She knew this, too. The still, quiet force that was Tormac's—deep, and unfathomable, and silent, of the spirit as well as of the body. Contrasted with the savage power she recognized in Burke, it was like the fine, tempered steel of a rapier compared with a heavy bludgeon.

"A penny for your thoughts!"

Jean came out of her reverie with a start. She smiled.

"Don't get conceited. I was thinking about you."

"Nice thoughts, I hope, then?" suggested Burke. "It's better"—audaciously—"to think well of your future husband."

The old gossip's words flashed into Jean's mind.

"You're bound together so fast and firm as wedding-ring could bind 'em," and her face flamed scarlet.

It was true—at least as far as she was concerned—that no wedding-ring could bind her more firmly to Blaise than her own heart had already bound her.

The instinct to flirt with Burke was in abeyance. It was an instinct only born of heartache and unhappiness, and now that Blaise's mood was so much less cool and distant than it had been, the temptation to play with unexpended bombs had correspondingly lost much of its charm.

"Don't be tiresome, Geoffrey," she said vexedly. "If only you would make up your mind to be—just plain. I should think much better of you."

"Then I'm afraid you'll have to think worse," he retorted.

Just at that moment they encountered a flock of sheep, ambulating leisurely along towards them and blocking up the narrow roadway, and Jean was spared the necessity of replying by the fact that Burke immediately found his hands full, manoeuvring a path for the mare between the broad, curly backs of the bleating multitude.

The drover of the flock was, of

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much for human nerves and muscles, and that a man's hands grow numb—and helpless! While the dead pull on the bit equally numbs the mouth of the horse, so that he, too, has no more any feeling to be played upon by the pressure of the bit.

Her eyes dropped to Burke's hands. With a little inward start of astonishment she realized that he was not attempting to pull against the chestnut. He was just holding... holding... standing her, ever so little, in her mad gallop. Jean felt the mare swerve, then swing level again, still answering faintly to the reins.

Burke's hands were very still. She wondered vaguely why—now—he didn't pit his strength against that of the runaway. They must have covered a mile or more. A bare half-mile was all that still lay between them and disaster.

And then, as she watched Burke's hands, she saw them move, first one and then the other, saving the bit against the tender corners of the mare's mouth. Jean was conscious of a faint difference in the mad pace of her. Not enough to be accounted a check—but still something, some appreciable slackening of the whirlwind rush towards that blue blur of sky ahead.

It seemed as though Burke, too, sensed that infinitesimal yielding to the saw of the bit. For the first time, he gave a definite pull at the reins. Then he relaxed the pressure, and again there followed the same sawing motion and the fret of the steel bar against sensitive, velvet lips. Then another pull—the man's sheer strength against the mare's. Jean watched, fascinated.

And gradually, almost imperceptibly at first, the frenzied beat of the iron-shod hoofs became more measured as the chestnut shortened her stride. It was no longer merely the thrashing, thunderous devil's tattoo of sheer, panic-driven speed.

Now and again Jean could hear Burke's voice, speaking to the frightened beast, chiding and reassuring in even, unharsh tones.

She was conscious of no fear, only of an absorbing interest and excitement as to whether Burke would be able to impose his will upon the animal before they reached that precipitous hill the descent of which must infallibly spell destruction.

She sat still, her hands locked together, watching... watching

(To Be Continued.)

Explorer Tells Of Hardships

Returns To Civilization After Facing Death In Paraguayan Jungle

A story of excruciating suffering in the Paraguayan jungle, including being almost eaten alive by ants, nearly an inch long, was told by Donald S. Wees, explorer, who has just returned to civilization.

Wees, who spent three months in scientific work in the wilds of north-eastern Paraguay, in the "Grano Desert," is on his way back to the United States by way of Buenos Ayres.

Besides the encounter with the ants, he told of battling floods in the Acaray River with a makeshift canoe hewed from a log, and a struggle in chopping his way with a machete through a jungle thick with conifers, plants which have knife-like leaves capable of inflicting very severe wounds.

Early in March, he said, a month after the expedition left the headwaters of the Yguazu River for the Brazilian border, his companions sickened and faced starvation. In spite of the fact that his feet were rotting from the humidity, he walked 15 miles until he found some Indians with whom he was able to barter cloth, fish hooks and soap for some beans, corn and mandioca root to feed his party.

Prison In Vatican City

Small Jail To House Local Prisoners Is Planned

A Vatican jail is the latest development in the transformation of this papal city. Plans are being discussed for a small prison beside the ancient mint which has been remodelled as a power house.

Since the Lateran Treaty of 1929, Vatican City has had the right to try and incarcerate persons guilty of committing misdemeanors or crimes within her territory.

Free Time Tables

Should the Canadian railways make a charge to the public for time-tables? This point was raised in the Commons Railway Committee. In Great Britain a small charge is made, but Sir Henry Thornton doubted if it would be possible to do so in Canada. The universal custom on the North American continent is to provide time tables free. The result is that very often they are taken by people who do not require them.

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Victorian Order Of Nurses

Increased Interest Is Being Shown In the Work Carried On

Despite lowered financial resources, increased interest is being shown in the work of the Victorian Order of Nurses, and 1931 was an outstanding year. Miss Elizabeth Smellie, chief superintendent, told the 34th annual meeting of the board of governors at Ottawa.

The superintendent's optimistic report was echoed by other speakers, including Senator George P. Graham, the president, who declared there was never a time when the people sacrificed more according to their ability in the cause of human welfare.

"We are facing this time with our backs to the wall but we are full of courage and hope, feeling sure that the work we are carrying on is essential to the nation, the president said.

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Baltimore Repeals Old Laws

Made When State Was Founded Two Hundred Years Ago

Baltimore, by the largest vote ever given a question or a candidate, has repealed its 200-year-old Sunday observance laws, which even precluded a man's kissing his wife on the Sabbath.

By a majority of more than \$3,000, the city wiped off its books the Sunday laws which were born with the Maryland legal code when the Calverts founded the state, and for the first time, can go to moving picture shows, sports events, and make certain retail purchases legally next Sunday.

Growing Girls!

Profit by the Experience of Others at This Vital Time

When I was 16 I was so ill my people thought I was going to die," writes Mrs. Annie Wilson, Sussex Ave., Toronto. "I had scarcely any blood, and as we were I could hardly walk. Had no appetite and I lost ground every day for a long time, until a friend recommended Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I got them, and before I had finished the first box I was feeling much better. I continued taking the Pills until I was completely well. I went to all the dances and had the time of my life again. I certainly recommend Dr. Williams' Pink Pills to any one who is anemic or run-down in any way, for they certainly rebuild my health."

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"Tell me, what most your heart desires; A garden-plot with birds and roses gay;

A glowing ruby lit with ruddy fires?"

Because I love you well (how well God knows!)

I name the boon which I would have you bring.

A gift more lovely than the moon-white rose,

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Though years will steal our beauty, ardour, youth,

Give me always the priceless gift of truth!

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To Recognize Air Scouts

Special Camp At World Jamboree In Hungary Planned

For the first time in the history of the Boy Scout movement, Air Scouts will be officially recognized at the world Scout jamboree in Hungary next year. The Hungarians are completing arrangements to hold a special camp for Scouts from all nations who are actively engaged in studying flying. The "Flying" camp will be in charge of Mr. Stephen Horthy, eldest son of the regent of Hungary, Admiral Horthy, an expert pilot and gliding enthusiast.

Rebecca (to husband during night)—Lizzie, get up, there is someone snoring under de bed, I think it's a burglar.

Lizzie—Don't make any noise and ven he wakes up I'll charge him for lodgings.

The house had been rapidly built and occupied.

"Do you find the place comfortable and substantially built?" asked the landlord when he called.

"Well," said the tenant, "I always go outside to sneeze."

Lyons, France, has twelve miles of docks.

Green Leaf Holds Secret

Method Of Storing Sunlight Still Puzzle To Scientists

Science has not yet solved the green leaf's secret of storing up the energy of sunlight by converting carbon dioxide into carbohydrates, it appears from research by Prof. G. C. Mackenzie of the University of California's division of plant nutrition.

Vegetation has the ability of turning carbon dioxide, the gas exhaled by organisms and given off by fire, into carbohydrates, useful as starches, sugars and cellulose. Some six years ago Prof. E. C. C. Bailey, professor of chemistry, university of Liverpool, reported the reduction of carbon dioxide to formaldehyde and carbohydrates in vitro, that is, in the test tube. Others worked on the same important problem with varying success. Prof. Mackenzie has attempted to repeat the experiments but has been forced to conclude in his report to the American Chemical Society that "no procedure has yet been published whereby conditions for obtaining formaldehyde and carbohydrates in vitro can be duplicated in other laboratories."

Since photosynthesis, as the process is called, is fundamental to the existence of life on earth through the utilization of sun energy, scientists will continue to search for its mechanism.

Little Helps For This Week

"Therefore for Thy name's sake lead me and guide me."—Psalm xxxi. 8.

My Father, God, lead on! Calmly I follow where Thy guiding hand Directs my steps; I would not trembling stand.

Though all before the way Is dark as night, I stay My soul on Thee, and say, Father, I trust Thy love, lead on! —R. Palmer.

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Main Street

Mr. P. J. Hardy was in the city the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Schon motored to Kilmuir last Sunday to see Mr. Schon's mother who lives there.

Rev. and Mrs. E. R. Geeson left for Edmonton last Monday to attend the Conference of the United Church.

Don't forget the sale of Home Cooking and Afternoon Tea at Mrs. Pryce Jones, Saturday, May 28th from 3 to 5.30.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Mapley, left for their home in Michigan Monday night after visiting with the Elliotts at Irma.

Two large crowds turned out Thursday afternoon and evening to hear J. J. Maloney speak at Irma.

An afternoon tea and sale of home cooking will be held at the home of Mrs. Pryce Jones on May 28th from 3 to 5.30.

Roads are good and crops are coming fine, local showers have occurred in all parts of the Irma district during the past week.

We understand that Mrs. A. O. Walker, who has been confined to one of the hospitals at Calgary for some time, has recovered sufficiently to return to her home at Penhold, Alta.

The Irma citizens were scattered between Lougheed, Chauvin and Vermilion on the 24th. Good sports and fine weather helped make a pleasant day for all who were able to get away.

The Irma Rebekah Lodge No. 85 are having a Lawn Social on Wednesday afternoon, June 15th at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Knudson. Everybody welcome.

Word reached Irma Thursday that Mrs. M. McCrimmon, had passed away suddenly at Edmonton. Mrs. McCrimmon was mother of the late Mr. J. R. Love, and spent some time in Irma a few years ago. At present time no date of the funeral had been set, fuller account will be given in the next issue.

Mr. Don McCready, of Jasper, Alberta, spent the holiday renewing acquaintances at Irma. Mr. McCready was the first agent to act for the G. T. P. railway at Irma and has a lot of friends among the old timers in the district.

Mr. Edward Magee, member of the Board of Examiners and Faculty of the Toronto Conservatory of Music, is giving a short and intensive course in the Art of Teaching and Playing Piano, in Hardisty from July 4th to 11th at the studio of Mrs. R. W. McKinnell.

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Here and There

718 Commercial fruit production in Canada in 1930 had a value of \$19,224,970. Apples accounted for \$10,853,940 of that total.

For the year ended May 31, 1930, a total of \$2,037,575 was spent in Canada for cut blooms showing that Canadians still have a strong penchant for saying it with flowers.

As a barometer of business conditions in Nova Scotia it may be stated that in 1930 there were 129 new companies incorporated as compared with 118 for the previous year.

A consignment of 120,000 pounds of dried hake from Diego has been shipped by way of Yarmouth to Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, and Nova Scotia exporters believe this may be the beginning of a steady trade in this line.

Over fifty per cent. of the raw leaf tobacco used in the Canadian tobacco industry is now produced in Canada. Less than two per cent. of the tobacco consumed in the Dominion is imported in manufactured form.

Mrs. L. N. Calverley, wife of the famous shipping surgeon, was credited with taking the largest fish, other than salmon, to be caught in British Columbia waters this season, when she landed an 18½-lb Rainbow trout from the sparkling waters of Shuswap Lake recently. She is a cousin of Lady Diana Duff Cooper who as Lady Diana Manners gained world-wide fame as the heroine of "The Miracle."

The Banff Highland Gathering of 1930 goes down not only as the greatest yet, so far as events and entrants are concerned but also for attendances since more than 10,000 spectators were present. Eight events ran continuously and concurrently; athletic events were confined to Alberta and British Columbia; dancing events added Manitoba to the list, while the piping contests brought in the whole of Canada, Scotland, China and the State of Washington.

Marking the earliest opening of the apple shipping season from Halifax to Europe, over a week in advance of last year, the first overseas shipment of the fruit went on September 2 in a cargo estimated at about 4,000 barrels of Nova Scotia apples.

There is a record crop of potatoes in Canada this year. It will total 45,000,000 bushels or 46 per cent. more than in 1929, according to the latest official estimate. Potatoes are grown in commercial quantities in all the provinces of Canada.

According to a statistical report, for all the wealth in the Dominion of Canada were equally divided it would provide \$2,996 for each person. This does not include the value of Canada's undeveloped natural resources. The national wealth is placed at \$28,400,000,000 an increase of \$1,272,000,000 over the previous year.

When a 22-year-old woman recently fell from the wharf at Pier D, Vancouver, into the dangerous rip tide of Burrard Inlet, William Hillon, assistant chief clerk of the British Columbia Coast Steamship of the Canadian Pacific Railway, without hesitation dived in and after a 20-minute battle in the churning water succeeded in getting her ashore. The woman will recover.

All Canada from hors d'oeuvres to dessert was represented at the first dinner served to the former Governor-General of Canada, Viscount Willingdon, on Canadian Pacific liner Montclare, which sailed for England recently. Starting with Saint John oysters, it included supreme of Nova Scotia sole, saddle of western lamb, roast Ontario chicken, and bomb maple leaf as a sweet.

Work has started on the building of the British Columbia link of the Trans-Canada Telephone Line. A system through the Crow's Nest Pass to Alberta will be provided to replace the present system of routing telephone calls to and from British Columbia across the United States via Seattle. The proposed system will cost \$1,250,000 and will involve some 655 miles of telephone lines, 125 miles of which have already been built.

Marriage at sea has happened before and will likely happen again, but the distinction of being baptized at sea is claimed to be unique and this occurred when two infant children were baptized in mid-Atlantic by Dr. Oliver C. Rankin, Scottish minister aboard Canadian Pacific liner Minnedosa, recently. The mothers and children were coming out to Canada from Great Britain and the minister is giving a course of lectures at McGill University.

Here and There

In 1930 the Canadian Pacific Railway paid out in taxes in Canada \$7,447,505 and for the year 1931 its taxes will run to over \$7,500,000. This brings the company's total tax payments in Canada from its incorporation to date to more than \$121,000,000.

Jim London, world heavyweight wrestling champion, on a recent trip into the New Brunswick woods, bagged a black bear, weighing 300 lbs. The animal, wounded by two shots, charged London who dropped his rifle and resorted to a knife with which he killed the bear.

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